

In the Specification:

Please amend the paragraph starting on page 1, line 1, as follows:

This application is a divisional of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/694,361 filed October 24, 2000, granted as USP 6,689,205, which in turn is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/230,262, filed May 17, 1999, now abandoned, which is a 371 of PCT/EP97/02651 filed May 23, 1997.

Please insert the following on page 9, line 9, as follows:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

FIG. 1 represents the transmission spectrum of a paint film produced from the pigment of Example #5.

FIG. 2 represents the reflection spectrum of a pigment produced in Example #6.

Amendments to the Drawings

Attached are two drawings on separate sheets to be added to the application.